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## NOTICE TO FILE MISSING PARTS OF NONPROVISIONAL APPLICATION

FILED UNDER 37 CFR 1.53(b)

*Filing Date Granted*

An application number and filing date have been accorded to this application. The item(s) indicated below, however, are missing. Applicant is given TWO MONTHS from the date of this Notice within which to file all required items and pay any fees required below to avoid abandonment. Extensions of time may be obtained by filing a petition accompanied by the extension fee under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a).

- The oath or declaration is unsigned.
- To avoid abandonment, a late filing fee or oath or declaration surcharge as set forth in 37 CFR 1.16(e) of \$130 for a non-small entity, must be submitted with the missing items identified in this letter.
- The balance due by applicant is \$ 130.

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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of: D'Arcy M. Tyrrell, III, et al.  
Serial No.: 09/609,046  
Filing Date: June 30, 2000  
Title: METHOD AND SYSTEM FOR  
DISTRIBUTED RENDERING

Honorable Assistant Commissioner  
of Patents  
Washington, D.C. 20231

Dear Sir:

I hereby certify that this correspondence is being deposited with the United States Postal Service as express mail number EL 759176925 US in an envelope addressed to: Assistant Commissioner for Patents, Washington, D.C. 20231, on the date shown below.

*Willie Jiles*

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*5-4-01*

Date

**RESPONSE TO NOTICE TO FILE MISSING PARTS**

In response to the Notice to File Missing Parts of Nonprovisional Application mailed October 5, 2000, Applicants respectfully submit the following.

1. A copy of the Notice to File Missing Parts of Nonprovisional Application dated October 5, 2000;
2. A five-month extension of time and associated check in the amount of \$1,890.00
3. A Declaration and Power of Attorney executed by joint inventor D'Arcy M. Tyrrell, III;
4. A check in the amount of \$130.00 in payment of the large entity surcharge for missing parts under 37 C.F.R. § 1.16(e);

5. Petition to Make Application for Patent Under 37 C.F.R. § 1.47(a);
6. A check in the amount of \$130.00 to cover the Petition filing fee;
7. Declaration of Facts Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.47(a) by Bradley P. Williams with attached Exhibits A-D;
8. Declaration of Facts Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.47(a) by Doug Crisman;
9. Assignment executed by D'Arcy M. Tyrrell, III, on November 13, 2000, with attached Assignment Cover Sheet;
10. A check in the amount of \$40.00 to cover the assignment recordal fee for the Assignment of D'Arcy M. Tyrrell, III;

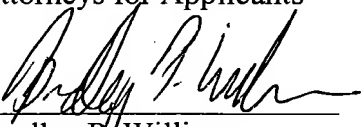
Applicants believe that all necessary items have now been forwarded to the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office for filing in the above identified patent application.

Applicants believe that no other fees are due, however, if there is any discrepancy, the Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any fees or credit any overpayments to Deposit Account No. 02-0384 of Baker Botts L.L.P.

Respectfully submitted,

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